

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Fenton	Conf. No.:	9950
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**RESPONSE**

March 13, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant files this Response to the Office Communication mailed September 14, 2006 from the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicant submits concurrently herewith a petition for a three (3)-month extension of time to file this Response, and the extension fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3). With the extension, this Response is due March 14, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this Response.